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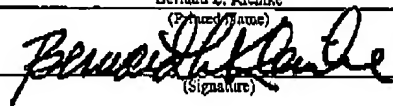
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is:

- ☒ A Reply and Amendment in the above-identified application
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Respectfully submitted,

Date: November 21, 2005

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**REPLY AND AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on September 21, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.